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SUBJECT: COUNCIL OF EUROPE EFFORTS ON DATA PROTECTION

1. FRITS HONDIUS OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE (COE) TOLD US THAT THE COE WORKING GROUP ON DATA PROTECTION WHICH MET JANUARY 17-19 ACCOMPLISHED LESS THAN EXPECTED. AS A RESULT, A SECOND WORKING GROUP MEETING IS NOW SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE IN MAY, REPLACING THE PLENARY SESSION WHICH HAS BEEN PUSHED BACK UNTIL THE FALL. HONDIUS PROMISED TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE CONSULATE IN THE NEAR FUTURE THE RESULTS OF LAST WEEK'S MEETING FOR TRANSMISSION TO INTERESTED USG OFFICIALS. HE HOPED THAT THE USG WOULD BE ABLE TO SEND AN OBSERVER TO THE MAY WORKING GROUP MEETING.

2. ALTHOUGH HONDIUS SAID LITTLE ABOUT THE ACTUAL RESULTS OF THE WORKING GROUP MEETING, HE DID STRESS THAT COE EFFORTS ARE HAMPERED BY THE LACK OF A CLEAR IDEA OF HOW THE USG ENVISAGES AN INTERNATIONAL DATA PROTECTION AGREEMENT. FOR EXAMPLE, HE
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SAID THAT IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO KNOW IN WHAT KIND OF FRAMEWORK WASHINGTON WOULD LIKE TO SEE AN AGREEMENT WRITTEN, I.E.: A COE AGREEMENT TO WHICH OTHER NATIONS COULD INDIVIDUALLY ADHERE OR A COE-OECD CONVENTION WHICH WOULD BE MORE INTERNATIONAL IN SCOPE. THE DECISION WHICH IS TAKEN WILL HAVE CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE ON A FINAL DOCUMENT.KURZE

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